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SUBJ: GATT TECHNICAL SUB-GROUP ON TEXTILE

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1. TECHNIAL SUB-GROUP WAS CONVENED AFTERNOON JULY 22

UNDER CHAIRMANSHIP GATT DEPDIRGEN PATTERSON. CONSIDERED RESPONSES TO TEXTILE STATISTICAL QUESTIONNAIRE (REFTEL) DISCUSSED FORMAT FOR REPORT TO TEXTILE COMMITTEE AND DIRECTED SECRETARIATE TO PREPARE DRAFT REPORT FOR SUB-GROUP CONSIDERATION AFTERNOON JULY 24.

2. SUB-GROUP MET AFTERNOON JULY 24 AND, WITH MINOR MODIFICATIONS APPROVED AD REFERENDUM SECRETARIAT'S DRAFT REPORT. WAS AGREED THAT DUE LATE QUESTIONNAIRE RESPONSE SOME GOVERNMENTS AND NEED FURTHER REFERENCE TO AUTHORITIES BY OTHERS, SECRETARIAT WOULD DELAY SUBMISSION UNTIL SEPT. 15 IN ORDER ALLOW TIME FOR RECEIPT AND COLLECTION ADDITONAL QUESTIONNAIRES, AS WELL AS COMMENTS OF REPS WHO HAD CONSULTED AUTHORITIES FURTHER. IN ABSENCE SIGNIFICANT OBJECTIONS PRIOR SEPT. 15, SECRETARIAT WILL DEEM MANDATE OF SUB-GROUP ACCOMPLISHED.

3. RECOMMENDATIONS OF SUB-GROUP REPORT SUMMARIZED AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE

IN SUM, TECHNICAL SUB-GROUP ON TEXTILE DOCUMENTATION RECOMMENDS TO TEXTILES COMMITTEE THAT IT URGE ALL PARTIES TO THE ARRANGEMENT TO REPORT TO SECRETARIATE:
(I) STATISTICS ON FOREIGN TRADE IN COTTON, WOOL AND MAN-MADE FIBRE TEXTILES AND CLOTHING, ON MAGNETIC TAPE, IN 5-DIGIT DETAIL OF SITC REV.2, ASAP, AND OF SITC REV1. IN THE MEANTIME, OR IN EQUIVALENTS OF THESE NOMENCLATURES IN TERMS OF BTN OR NATIONAL CLASSIFICATIONS, BY ORIGIN AND DESTINATION, QUARTERLY, AS FROM 1972;

(II) PRODUCTION STATISTICS FOR REPRESENTATIVE PRODUCT GROUPS LISTED IN ANNEX 1, BOTH QUARTERLY AND ANNUALLY; AND

(III) SEPARATELY FOR TEXTILE AND APPAREL INDUSTRY,
DATA ON VALUE-ADDED BY MANUFACTURING (ANNUALLY);
INVESTMENT, DISTINGUISHING OUTLAY FOR PLANT AND FOR
MACHINERY (ANNUALLY); TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, PRODUCTION
WORKERS, AND AVERAGE HOURS WORKED PER WEEK PER WORKER
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